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PASS: HONORABLE MICHAEL J. HARRINGTON  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, WASHINGTON, D.C.

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BDIS (BARRON, ADELE)  
SUBJ: CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE

REF: CONG. HARRINGTON LETTER DATED DECEMBER 2

1. THANK YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF DECEMBER 2 CONCERNING  
A SCULPTURE PURCHASED IN TANZANIA BY MRS. ADELE BARRON WHICH  
NEVER REACHED HER. MRS. BARRON FIRST WROTE US ABOUT THE  
MISSING SCULPTURE ON JUNE 26, 1976, AND WE ADDRESSED A TRACER  
TO THE NATIONAL ARTS OF TANZANIA, FROM WHICH SHE HAD PURCHASED  
THE SCULPTURE, ASKING THEM TO COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY TO HER.

2. AS MRS. BARRON HAS STILL NOT RECEIVED HER SCULPTURE, WE  
HAVE NOW TAKEN THE MATTER UP WITH MR. MBOGO, EXPORT MANAGER OF  
NATIONAL ARTS OF TANZANIA. HE HAS PROMISED TO INVESTIGATE THE  
CASE, AND HAS SENT COPIES OF THE RELEVANT DOCUMENTS TO THE ARUSHA  
OFFICE OF NATIONAL ARTS WHERE MRS. BARRON PURCHASED THE  
SCULPTURE. WE ARE ALSO COMMUNICATING DIRECTLY WITH THE ARUSHA  
OFFICE.

3. AS SOON AS WE OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT THE MISSING PIECE,  
WE WILL ADVISE YOU.

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